

Fire Totally Destroys Pendleton Garage

Fire broke out on the premises of the Pendleton Garage at about 1 p.m. on Monday and the fine large building with living quarters above was totally destroyed in a very short period of time.

Mr. Pendleton was outside working on a combine when the fire started. Mrs. Pendleton, who was upstairs, noticed a smell of smoke and called to her husband. He went and opened the garage door and the whole building seemed to burst into flames at once. Mrs. Pendleton had just time to wrap a blanket around her small son who was sick and in bed and carry him out.

A very strong wind was blowing and it was impossible to save anything whatever from the garage or the living quarters. Besides Mr. Pendleton's tools and equipment there was a Fordson Major tractor and a car in the garage at the time.

Mr. Pendleton had not been at Irma two years. He had put a fine building up and had enlarged it again this summer. The roomy living quarters was equipped with refrigerator, deep freeze, running water, etc.

The gale from the north west blew the billowing smoke and flames away from the rest of the town. Hansen's Service Station, just east of the fire, was in very real danger because it was so close. As it was apparent from the start that the Pendleton premises could not be saved, the volunteer fire fighters turned their attention to the Hansen property.

Keith Steele hauled water with a truck and a 500 gallon tank from a locomotive which was on the CNR tracks near by. Other young lads climbed up on the roof of the service station while other helpers kept the stucco wall nearest the blaze as wet as possible. Still others removed all Mr. Hansen's belongings—even the inside doors in his living quarters were carried out. But so thorough was the work done in keeping the stucco wall wet his whole property was saved. This is the second time a work of rescue has been accomplished for the Hansen Service Station which was similarly threatened when the Ben Sather garage burned down on the same site as the Pendleton garage about eight years ago.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Pendleton who were able to save nothing from their home or business premises. Be sure and attend the Community Shower for them at the Legion Hall on Saturday, October 16, and the Benefit dance on Monday, October 26 in Kiefer's Hall.

Recipes

ICE BOX COOKIES

1/2 cup brown sugar.
1 cup butter.
1/2 cup chopped nuts.
1 cup flour.
1 tsp. soda.
1/2 cup white sugar.
1 cup chopped dates.
2 1/2 cup minute oats.
1 egg.
Mix in order given. Make in rolls. Place in refrigerator over night. Cut in thin slices. Bake in moderate oven. They are easier to cut if left out a little while. Let them get a little warmer and they cut better.
—Mrs. W. D. Ramsay.

MUSTARD CHOW CHOW

Slice and mix 2 tins. cucumbers, 1 qt. each of onions, green tomatoes, 2 red peppers, 1 large cauliflower. Make a brine of 1 qt. water and 3/4 cup of salt pour over vegetables and stand over night. In the morning drain and rinse with cold water.
Make a dressing with 1 cup flour, 3 cups sugar, 6 tablespoons mustard, 1 tsp. turmeric, 3 cups vinegar and 3 cups water. Cook until thick. Mix vegetables and boil rapidly for 5 minutes. Seal while hot.
—Mrs. L. H. Barsa.

The LETTER BOX

(Opinions expressed under this heading are those of the letter writers.)

Irma, Alberta.
October 11, 1964.

LETTING OFF STEAM

Editor Irma Times,
Irma, Alberta.

I have for some time been thinking of writing to the Letter Box. I thought today was a good time to let off my steam.

"It sure was too bad," I wish I had a dollar for everytime that has been said and thought today and will be said the rest of the week I think I'd donate every blessed dollar to the Village of Irma for fire equipment. I'll admit it was too bad the fire took its toll of not only a garage—the second this year, but a home as well. It's Thanksgiving Day as I write this. I thank God it did not happen to me.

I understand the fire engine is a man power gadget that has to be pulled. Maybe I am wrong. I have never seen it. A lot of other people haven't seen it either. Is the Village of Irma ashamed of it that it is housed all the time collecting dust?

Mentioning dust—here is a good place to mention the Arena Fund. As far as I know it is collecting dust too. Why can't those in charge of that fund turn it over to the Village for fire equipment?

What does Irma want with an Arena anyway? Who would support an arena if there was one? The country people. We have the lungs to holler at sports that would be held in an arena. Personally I'd rather holler here and now. Today was a good example of the need for necessities to make Irma residents safe and businesses protected not for hoarding money for the frills and fancy things. How many buildings have extinguishers that are any better than the proverbial drop in the bucket. One of the largest buildings in Irma is the old so called theatre. It's the worst fire trap I've ever been in. I've been in it to show when people are admitted to the extent that children of 5 and 6 years of age sit on your knee to make more seats available for adults while your knees are jammed into the back of the row of seats ahead. Thank God no fire has started there.

Wake up, you taxpayers! See that your Village get the protection it needs. At its present rate, Irma business premises will be all wiped out before I'm old enough to draw a pension.

Where is Irma's creamery—burned I heard. It was never rebuilt. That's one business that's needed to make Irma prosper and one reason many trade elsewhere. Mannville has a good creamery, even good fire equipment. So proud are they of the fire engine it sits on main street quite often. Not so in Irma, for it sleeps in the fire hall collecting dust.

I hope by Thanksgiving, 1965, something will be done to see that this year's losses aren't repeated—something done for fire protection so that Irma residents will live in safety and give thanks for good protection.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Claude Ramsay.

Webb will be heard in person in some of his favorite hit recordings such as "Wondering, Back Street Affair, It's Been So Long, There Stands the Glass and I'm Walking The Dog. No doubt Webb will render his latest hit tune, Slowly."

Travelling with Webb will be The Wilburn Brothers, and Little Ike, comedian.

Be at the Viking Carina on October 26 to give Webb Pierce and His Gang another rousing welcome.

Sponsored by the Viking Hockey Club.

The Irma Home and School Association will meet in the school on Monday, October 19 at 8 p.m.

The Nominating Committee have a full slate of officers to present to the meeting and officers will be elected for the coming term. Be sure and come to the meeting.

Southern Sayings

Combining land and threshing seems to be the order of the day. Hope the weather man will stay in his best behavior.

Jimmy Bronson of Hardisty is busy combining for several of the farmers at Strawberry Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jackson are holidaying at the family home after motoring to Sundary and other Albertan points.

They say "a change is as good as a rest." While home Albert is running the threshing outfit. Mrs. Eddie Jackson is having her nephew Wayne Archibald staying with her while Eddie is busy on the threshing outfit.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Wilder and family of Edmonton visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Long recently. Mrs. Wilder is a sister to Mrs. Long.

The long week-end brought a few visitors to the district. Melvin and Bud Dawson of Edmonton were visiting at the home of their parents.

Mrs. Reed and George were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Johnston and family of Edmonton visited at their respective homes.

Mrs. J. Jackson attended a board meeting in Edmonton last Tuesday of the Alberta Protestant Home.

The next W.I. meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Wes Bacon on Thursday, October 21. Hostesses, Mrs. Funk and Mrs. Bacon. Roll call—Bring a Mystery Parcel for the Bazaar. Topic, Handicraft by Mrs. Satter. Program, Mrs. Ted Hill, Raffle, Mrs. A. Long.

The sympathy of all is extended to Mr. and Mrs. G. Pendleton and family in the loss of their home and business premises by fire on Monday.

Webb Pierce Show At Viking Carina Tuesday, Oct. 26

(From The Viking News)

Those who heard Webb Pierce and His Wondering Boys last year on August 19 will be pleased to hear that they will play a return engagement at the Viking Carina on Tuesday, October 26, commencing at 8:30 p.m.

Webb Pierce and his artists were so pleased with the reception they received at Viking last year that Viking is the only town in Alberta at which they will appear this year, outside of Edmonton and Calgary.

The Carina will be heated for the event, and the public address system has been repaired for the occasion since Slim Whitman was here this summer.

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Northern Nuggets

Miss Edith Jones, Mrs. Dave Smith and Miss Frances Bars were up from Calgary where they are employed, to visit their parental homes for the Thanksgiving day week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. David Currie motored down from Edmonton on Saturday to spend the long week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Currie.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brown and baby son, visited Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ramsay, at the week-end.

Much sympathy is felt for the Pendleton family who lost both home and business in Monday afternoon's fire.

News has really been scarce lately since everyone is taking advantage of the fine harvest weather. Combining and threshing are general, and may we all be the winners in the race with Old Man Winter!

The British and Foreign Bible Society will show pictures at Albert School on Monday evening, November 8, at 8 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Mrs. Gerald Currie of Edmonton arrived on Wednesday to visit at the Ivan Currie home.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jones and Rowland were recent visitors to Provost.

CHURCH SERVICES

AVONGLEN GOSPEL MISSION

Regular Services at Paschenedale School every Sunday.

Sunday School 2 p.m. Worship Service 3 p.m.

A hearty invitation is extended to you and your family.

"I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the house of the Lord to worship."

T. M. Conway, Pastor.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH NOTES

Service of Evensong will be held in St. Mary's Church on Sunday, October 17 at 2 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday, October 17

Paschenedale—Worship Service 10:30 a.m. followed Sunday School.

Irma—Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

Worship Service 11:30 a.m.

YPU at 4 p.m.

Subject: "Measurements of Life."

—H. W. Ingalls, Minister.

—PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED—

Arrangements have been made to have prescriptions filled. Either phone or bring prescriptions and they will be ready next day.

IRMA DRUG STORE

15p

WANTED

General Utility Man for the Village of Irma, including police duties and also care of skating rink, etc.

Applicants please state qualifications and salary expected.

Secretary-Treasurer,

Village of Irma.

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A.T.A.

The first regular meeting of the Irma Sub Local A.T.A. was held in the school lunch room on October 5. Twelve teachers were present.

New officers elected for the coming year were:

President, Mrs. J. Ballentine.

Vice-Pres., Mr. Ronaghan.

Sec.-Treas., Mrs. E. Prosser.

Press Reporter, Miss Kate Younker.

Meetings will be held during the year on the first Tuesday of every month. These will be held at different school houses in the district. The first will be held at Metropolitan on Nov. 2.

J.E. Brownlee Q.C. To Speak at Wainwright

TO SPEAK ON GRAIN MARKETING

J. E. Brownlee, Q.C., president of United Grain Growers Ltd. and an authority on Grain Marketing will visit Wainwright on Friday, October 15, at the invitation of Wainwright and District Chamber of Commerce.

While here he will address a meeting of all those interested in learning more about our problems in connection with the marketing of grain. The Chamber is very happy that Mr. Brownlee has found it possible to visit the town, and is confident that the address and any subsequent discussion will do much to disseminate accurate information on the situation as it now exists.

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EASTERLY ECHOES

The W.I. meeting this month had a good turnout of members in spite of the fact that many had to hurry home to get meals for harvesters. We were glad to see some of our old friends back again. The W.I. is sponsoring a whist drive and dance at Roseberry on November 19. Lunch will be served and one dollar will get you to all three events.

Art Elliot of Edmonton has been visiting with his brothers, Gordon and Hughie and lending a hand with harvest.

Miss Edna Dallow is home from Calgary for a three week visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Dallow and her sister, Mrs. Don Burton, and also getting acquainted with her new niece.

The Thanksgiving holidays brought guests to the N. Fluevog home, Mr. and Mrs. E. Egedahl and son of Edmonton, and Dr. Egedahl of Sedgewick. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pedel also had visitors from Edmonton for the holiday, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton and family, and their daughter Pat.

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Glen-Coa Gleanings

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Upward trend in number milk cows is continuing

Counting the cows is not a complete indication of prospective milk production but it does show probable trends. The June, 1954, survey by the Bureau of Statistics of numbers of milk cows in Canada reports a total of 3,233,000 compared with 3,146,200 a year ago, an increase of 2.4 percent. The rate of increase is considerably slower, however, than the 5.9 percent recorded from 1952 to 1953.

Canada's milk cow population has now regained much of the decrease that took place after the war when numbers dropped from 3,988,000 in 1945 to the lowest point in 30 years — 2,903,000 in 1951. It is now approaching the 1931 level of 3,371,000.

These changes in Canadian milk cow population parallel somewhat the changes that have taken place in the United States. The Canadian Trade Commissioner in Washington, reporting on the June survey of milk cows on U.S. farms, says:

"Milk cows on U.S. farms in June this year, totalled 22.5 million head, about 1 1/2 percent greater than in June a year ago, but about the same as in December, 1953. This levelling off in milk cow numbers in the last six months contrasts with the moderate upward trend that started in early 1952 and extended through 1953. Milk cow numbers continued to gain during the past year in most of the more important specialized

dairy States, but turned down in many Central States where other enterprises such as hog raising offered good alternatives to milk producers.

Wide swings shown
"Over the last two decades the number of milk cows on farms (in the United States) has shown some rather wide swings. Following a peak of around 25 1/2 million head, reached in early 1934, milk cow numbers declined steadily to a low point of a little more than 23 million head in 1939, then started an upswing that continued through the early years of World War II. At the high point of this cycle, reached in mid-1944, numbers slightly exceeded 25 1/2 million head. In late 1944, milk cow numbers turned down, with the decline proceeding rapidly for four years, then continuing more gradually for another three. Following a quarter-century low point of about 21 1/2 million head reached at the beginning of 1952, numbers again rose fairly rapidly for two years."

These figures indicate that the milk cow population in both countries is now about at the level it was 20 to 25 years ago, in spite of the increase in human population, and that any increase in the quantity of milk available is due to increased production per cow and possibly more abundant feed supplies.



Fashions

Week's sew-thrifty



4705
12-20

What to be, don't worry! Whip up a new top or skirt in a day with this sew-easy pattern! For casual wear, choose the checked version with or without the Peter Pan collar. For cool comfort on 80-degree days, choose the scooped-neck, cone-shaped top. Make it in a glenise fabric too, for evening! Send me:
Pattern 4705: Misses' Maternity Sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20. Size 16 skirt, 2 yards 36-inch; top with pockets, 3 yards; 1/4 yard contrast. Send thirty-five cents (35c) in coins (change cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to:
Department P.F.L.
Anne Adams Pattern Dept.
69 Front Street W., Toronto.

The Republic of Indonesia is about 3,000 miles long. 2108

Funny and Otherwise

A woman went to stay with a friend who lived in a rather primitive cottage. As she was preparing to retire, the hostess appeared at the door. "If you should want anything that you haven't got," she said, "just ask for it. We can show you how you can do without it."

Oh (an hour late for appointment): "I hope I'm not very late, darling."

Sorry, it's impossible. I can't remember whether you got the day and the month right."

"And what is the baby's name?" asked the minister softly.
"It's Chauncey William Robert Montgomery Finley," replied the proud father.
The minister turned to his assistant and said, "More water, please."

Macpherson had invited his friend McTavish to have a drink.
"Say when," he said hopefully and poured a wee drop into the glass. McTavish was silent.

Cautiously, Macpherson poured out another drop. Again silence from McTavish.
"Did you hear about the fire at George's?" said Macpherson suddenly.

"When?" asked his friend, innocently.
Macpherson put the bottle down with a sigh of relief.

Irish corporal: "That's how 'twas the bullet went in me chest and came out me back."
Newman: "But how did it miss your heart?"
Irishman: "Me heart was in me mouth."

A tourist stopped off in a small Texas town and ventured into a very tough looking saloon for a bottle of beer. Several branded, booted characters were draped around the old-fashioned bar. "Nice atmosphere you have in this place," said the little tourist, trying to strike up a conversation. "I especially like the way you've sprinkled sawdust all over the floor."

"That's not sawdust," the barkeep pointed out. "That's yesterday's furniture."

Diver finds planes, sunken Jap carrier

SYDNEY, Australia. — A diver found a sunken Japanese aircraft carrier with about 20 planes still intact on her deck 80 feet below the surface of Rabaul harbor, New Britain.

The diver, Capt. John J. Johnson, said the carrier, a ship of about 12,000 tons, had apparently been bombed or torpedoed for.

"The planes appear to be in quite good condition," he added.

The flats go back into antiquity. It was a great favorite with the old Romans and Greeks.



"KEYSTONE COP" ISN'T FUNNY — This Pennsylvania State Trooper is a serious equestrian, who is putting his mount through a fiery symbol of the Keystone State during practice sessions for the annual State Police Rodeo at Hershey, Pa.

Missing brother may be "white king" of jungle tribe

LONDON, Eng. — Brian Fawcett, a 39-year-old London artist, is planning to plunge into the heart of the Amazon jungle next year in search of his father and brother who disappeared 23 years ago.

Fawcett's hopes of finding some trace of them have been whetted by recurrent reports, rumors and tales of a white king ruling a primitive tribe somewhere in Brazil's vast interior.

He said he has little hope of finding his father, explorer Col. Percy Fawcett, alive. He now would be over 80.

May still be alive
But Fawcett has high hopes that his brother, Jack, who was only 22 at the time of the disappearance, may still be alive and living with an Indian tribe.

Fawcett is busy sorting through two trunks of papers belonging to his father in the hopes that they will narrow down the search area. They were found in his mother's room after her recent death.

When he arrives in Brazil next March, Fawcett plans to fly over some 28,000 square miles of

swamps, jungles and grasslands in the area where his father and his brother vanished with another Englishman, Raleigh Rimel.

The legends of a white chief have said he rules a jungle area near Quiba, capital of Mato Grosso state.

The Fawcett disappearance was one of the biggest mysteries of modern times.

Repeated efforts have been made to find the party since 1926. Brian Fawcett, who trekked the jungles for months in 1952 trying to find out what happened to his father and brother, believes the previous searches have gone in the wrong direction.

Brazilian exploration teams travelled westward from the source of the Tapajós river in search of the Fawcett party. Brian thinks the party went eastward.

BEAUVALLON, ALA. — Lemons rivaling any in southern California can be grown in northern Alberta. Mrs. M. Nycolaichuk of this town 120 miles northeast of Edmonton grows lemons that weigh up to 2 1/2 pounds.

OTTAWA. — About \$40,000,000 of the Bank of Canada's new notes went into circulation recently. An official told The Canadian Press that every bank branch will have a "modest supply" on hand.

It is the start of a changeover of about 160,000,000 bank notes worth \$1,500,000,000 usually in circulation. The switch for all common bank notes is expected to take about 1 1/2 years.

The new bank notes are the first in Canada to carry Queen's portrait. The reverse sides carry typical Canadian scenes instead of the present allegorical figures. The bills are one-eighth of an inch narrower than present notes, which are six by 2 1/2 inches.

The color of the new notes is about the same as the present notes, although the tints are deeper and richer, especially for \$5 notes.

Printing methods to produce the new notes have been modified. The old notes were printed from steel engravings while the paper was damp.

The face of the new note is now produced by one steel engraving impression and two colors printed by offset lithography on dry paper. The back of the new notes is produced by one steel engraving impression also printed while the paper is dry.

Prince Edward Island has the lowest marriage rate, Alberta the highest.



"SUMMER VACATION WAS PURE FUN AND PARTIES AND ENTERTAINMENT."

Alberta ready spend more to halt invasion of rats

EDMONTON. — The Alberta department of agriculture plans to intensify its campaign against rats along the province's eastern boundary.

Agriculture Minister Halmrast said that while efforts in the last three years have shown considerable success there are signs of further encroachment and it is planned to discuss with the department's pest control officials methods of stepping up the battle against the rats.

O. S. Longman, Alberta's deputy agriculture minister said in a prepared statement that residents in the eastern areas have taken an apathetic view of the matter. Not inevitable

"There is an attitude among all too many that we must accept the invasion of rats as inevitable."

Mr. Halmrast said plans for the intensified campaign will be worked out in conjunction with pest control officials in the next few days.

Until 1951 Alberta was North America's only rat-free area.

He said it is hoped to obtain more co-operation from Saskatchewan, the province from which the Alberta invasion of rats is taking place. Mr. Halmrast said his department has been in communication with Saskatchewan officials on the matter and it will be pursued further.

Since 1951, when 37 colonies of rats were discovered along the Alberta-Saskatchewan boundary, the provincial government has spent more than \$160,000 for rat poisoning. Mr. Longman said in the statement.

Will spend more
Mr. Halmrast indicated that the government is prepared to spend considerably more to provide effective control.

The campaign was waged along a 275-mile front. This year rats have been discovered as far north as Lloydminster in a narrow strip along the eastern border. Previously the northern limit had been Provost.

Agriculture officials said the three-year program appeared to have stopped the westward march of rats and said the department is carrying on a program of depopulation which they felt will eliminate the necessity for the rats to move farther west in search of less-crowded feeding conditions.

Manitoba creameries awarded top honors
Two Manitoba creameries tied for top score in the butter print competition at the Central Canada Exhibition held in Ottawa August 23 to 27, it is reported by the Dairy branch of the Department of Agriculture.

The Maple Leaf Creamery at Purchar and Canada Packers creamery, Rapid City, were both awarded 97.1 points for their print exhibits.

The Manitoba Dairy and Poultry Co-op of Dauphin figured in the first prize group of the butter print competition, with a total score of 97. The local creamery also placed in the first prize group of the solids class, with 97 points.

Canada Packers of Dauphin was a prize-winner in the solids competition, placing in the second prize group with score of 96.7.

In competition with entries from Alberta, New Brunswick, Ontario and British Columbia, Manitoba creameries won 21 out of a total 27 prizes awarded for butter prints. Of the 10 creameries named in the first group, seven were from Manitoba points.

In the solids class, Manitoba creameries won 20 of the 54 prizes of a total of 54 were awarded. Of the 16 which made the first prize group, eight were from this province.

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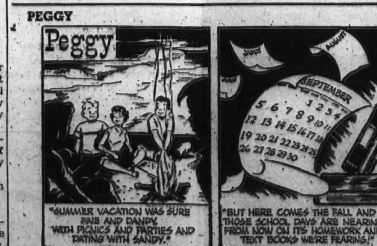
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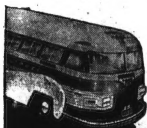
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WHAT'S DOING IN OTHER TOWNS

(St. Paul Journal)
"They're just crazy up there," was the impression of four hunters who returned from Maringo, Sask., with the best bag of geese we have seen this year. "All we had to do was wait for them and shoot 'em down," according to Roland, Boisvert, John Pross, Don Guthrie and John Bagan who went on a week-end shoot in the wheat province.

While in the hunting paradise, they were guests of Roland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Boisvert and were piloted around the country by his brother Guy who knew all the spots. Returning Monday, they strung up "Exhibit A's" of 26 geese and as many beautiful ducks all brought down in the course of two shoots, irrefutable evidence of an abundance of geese and sharp shooting.

(Tulsa Mercury)
Four local hunters had a novel experience while geese hunting last week. Cy Metcalf, Eric Edwards, Allan Warner and Fred Shacher set out their decoys last Saturday morning and settled back out of sight to await the arrival of the hoped for geese. After a short wait a rustle was heard in the tall grass near the decoys. Investigation revealed a young coyote preparing to pounce on the waiting decoys. With the number of ninjords in the group, all with loaded guns the poor coyote never had a chance. We doubt if he knew what him him.

(Camrose Canadian)
Camrose will apply for status as a City instead of Town as quickly as arrangements can be made. The decision was made on Tuesday evening at a special meeting of the Town Council, with all members present. The decision followed considerable discussion of the advantages and disadvantages following the move, with all members in favor in the final vote.

(Vermilion Standard)
The biggest trout caught in Cold Lake this season was landed by a Vermilion lady, Mrs. Bob Rouse. As a result of the catch she has been presented with a very handsome trophy by Mr. Hill of Cold-Lake village on behalf of the Fish and Game League there.

Mrs. Rouse caught her fish on Saturday, September 25, quite close to the end of the fishing derby. She was fishing in company with her husband who at the time was working at Cold Lake, and it was his day off. They were not quite prepared to handle the size of trout that Mrs. Rouse caught as it weighed in at 22 lbs. 1 oz. and measured three feet long. The big fellow was firmly hooked and despite the use of all tricks known to a trout, was gradually reeled up to the boat. How to land him was the question as Mr. and Mrs. Rouse had neither gaff nor net. Experience in fishing in the Great Lakes years ago however now stood Bob in good stead as he caught the monstrous fish under the gills with both hands and hauled him into the boat.

(Sedgewick Press)
The Loughed Co-op Seed Cleaning Plant will be opened for business on Monday, Oct. 11. Just about a year and a half ago, a charter was applied for, and a provisional board appointed consisting of E. Koehli, Geo. Acheson Jr., C. Ingvaldson, Geo. Matthews, D. Black and H. Probst. This committee canvassed for the sale of shares, and sold 299 shares to 199 shareholders.

The plant has a capacity to clean 2000 bushels of grain per day. Total cost of the building and machinery is \$42,000, with the Government, M.D. and the shareholders each contributing a third of the cost. The plant is intended to serve that area of the M.D. from Sedgewick to Hardisty.

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Farmers' Union of Alberta Seek Mandate

EDMONTON, Oct. 12 — Farmers' Union of Alberta will seek a mandate from the rural population to support a 5-point program designed to halt migration from the farm by protecting primary producers.

The grassroots organization will continue to seek parity prices on the home market and floor prices on foreign markets for all farm produce, it was stated.

At the same time it will maintain pressure to secure Provincial enabling legislation for a vote to decide the question of producer-controlled marketing boards as a means to obtaining floor prices on the Canadian markets.

The alarming prospect of rural depression has led to plans for protecting the farmer in possession of his land and equipment. This program calls for measures to combat prospective evictions by foreclosures, tax sales, etc., and losses of equipment and machinery and livestock by seizures or other means reducing family farm tenure.

Enquiry into ways to halt disintegration of the family pattern of Canadian farming that has already resulted in a drop of 30 percent in the rural population of Alberta since 1941, is another point in the 5-point program of the grassroots farm body.

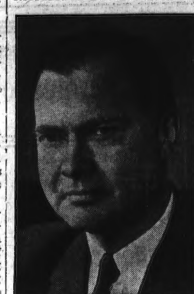
A public meeting to be advertised in the weekly press, and by other means, will be held here in the latter part of Oct. or early November, it was stated by FUA headquarters in Edmonton.

—Farmers' Union of Alberta.

The last known passenger pigeon, a bird that existed in Canada in the billions less than a hundred years ago, died in captivity in the Cincinnati zoo in 1914.

The first Canadian postage stamps were issued in 1851.

NATIONAL BUSINESS HEAD



G. S. Thorvaldson, Q.C.

G. S. Thorvaldson, Q.C., Winnipeg, who has been elected President of The Canadian Chamber of Commerce at the national business organization's 25th Annual Meeting at Halifax, October 4-7. Mr. Thorvaldson is Senior Partner in the Winnipeg law firm of Thorvaldson, Eggertson, Bastin and Stringer. During the past year he has served as Second National Vice President of The Canadian Chamber of Commerce. Active in community and business affairs, and Chamber of Commerce work, Mr. Thorvaldson is a Past President of the Winnipeg Chamber of Commerce. He is also President of International Loan Company, North Canadian Trust Company, Director of a number of other firms, and a member of the Manitoba and Canadian Bar Associations. In law, Mr. Thorvaldson has specialized in business and tax law. He takes over from W. J. Borrie, Vancouver, former President of The Canadian Chamber of Commerce.

About 15 percent of Canada's total labor force is directly employed in agriculture and about 26 percent is directly employed in manufacturing.



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WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR EDUCATION IN ALBERTA

Who is responsible for Education in Alberta? Does the B.N.A. Act require the Province to establish and finance schools? Many people firmly believe that such is the case. They are convinced that the Province is required to provide for the education of young people, and therefore should underwrite the cost of such an undertaking. In effect, however, the B.N.A. Act states that the federal government may NOT control education; its control must be left to the people of each province to exercise in the way they see fit. It is up to the people of Alberta to decide whether education is to be a matter for local, or for federal control, or partly one and partly the other.

In practice the Alberta Government has adopted a middle course. By such statutes as the Department of Education Act and the School Act the legislature has created a Department of Education, with its Minister, on whom certain powers and duties are placed. These include responsibility for the preparation of courses of study, the selection of textbooks, the certification of teachers, the preparation and marking of departmental examinations, the financial assistance of local school authorities, and the provision of certain supplementary educational services. The Legislature, following long Canadian tradition, has also created local school authorities (divisional, district, and county boards), to whom it has delegated certain duties and given certain powers. In general, school boards are expected to provide and equip school buildings, to maintain them in operating condition, to appoint teachers and other employees, to provide transportation for pupils as needed and to requisition from municipal authorities much of most of the money needed for these services.

But whether the Minister of Education is approving the choice of a new text-book, or a local trustee is investigating a leaky school roof, it must never be forgotten that each is performing his function on behalf of the people he represents. The power they exercise is wielded as stewards for their fellow citizens. Thus, there appears the unavoidable conclusion that all educational citizens of Alberta are responsible for education. And from this, it follows that the quality of education depends, at least in part, on how well and conscientiously Alberta citizens perform the duties which civic responsibility demands.



Why should any person be responsible for the education of any children other than his own? The answer, of course, is that a modern democratic people, for its continued existence as such, must be founded on an intelligent and informed electorate, on people who understand the meaning of democracy and who have the will, the energy, and the skills to put its principles into



practice, and to make the best possible contribution to one another's welfare. In other words, democracy cannot continue to exist if a large part of the population are ignorant or indifferent to their democratic rights and duties. Thus is established a fundamental principle in Alberta education: one of its purposes is to train all boys and girls to become effective citizens of our Province and our country.

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The Good Earth

(By N. A. Chomik,

District Agriculturist)

(From The Viking News)

It Pays to Use Good Sires

With the advent of Fall Sales, breeder and stock growers will be giving consideration to purchasing better breeding stock. Livestock men that have used purebred sires seldom, if ever, revert to using grade, scrub or inferior quality sires. They know that it pays to use purebred sires of good quality. The Fall Sales offer the opportunity of procuring good sires. The Edmonton Fall Sale is noted for the high quality of swine and sheep breeding stock that are sold every fall through this event. The dates for the Edmonton Fall Sale this year are Oct. 26 to 29 with Swine breeding stock selling on October 28 and Sheep on October 29. Boars and rams as well as sows and ewes all of good quality (all which had to pass inspection of culling committee) will be offered for sale. Farmers from this area should plan to attend this sale and procure better breeding stock, through which they can improve their herds in the future. Those farmers unable to attend but requiring a boar or a ram can leave an application with this office or the Livestock Branch, Dept. of Agriculture, Edmonton.

Of interest to this district is the Camrose Bull Sale to be held on November 4 and 5. Bulls of good quality and various ages of all three beef breeds are offered for sale. A fall purchase of a sire generally means a saving to the buyer in comparison to price asked at Spring Sales.

Swine breeders requiring a boar that delay too long may end up with only the second or third best, as very likely good boars will sell readily this fall.

Fall Cultivation For Weed Control

Fall cultivation can be very helpful to controlling many of our noxious weeds. A wet summer has left most of our summer-fallow land in a very weedy state, and has increased the weed problem on all grain fields. Thistles have appeared more prominently than probably any other weed. Land infested with thistles and other perennials should be worked this fall before freeze-up, once or twice or as often as time permits, with the aim of bringing the roots of these weeds to the surface to expose them to winter killing thus reducing their infestation. Land should be left in lumpy or cloddy stage to prevent any possibility of erosion. Where annual weeds are most troublesome, shallow cultivation this fall before freeze-up will encourage germination of these weeds next spring. In this case it is important that cultivation be shallow. Remember, if weather permits, take advantage of it, and carry out a program of fall cultivation for weed control.

End-of-Year Gardening

The Lacombe Experimental Station suggests that fall is a good time to renovate clumps of early blooming perennials. Such plants as delphiniums, columbines, bleeding hearts and peonies can well be divided and transplanted in late September or early October.

If this work is left until spring, plants that produce their flowers in the early part of the year do not become established quickly enough to produce the desired full bloom. Perennial phlox, day lilies and others that flower in late summer or late fall can be moved or divided in the spring.

Cleaning up the foliage of perennial flowering plants may be done either in spring or fall although foliage left untrimmed until spring helps to hold the snow for winter protection. Flower stalks should be clipped when the bloom fades, for the sake of appearance and to prevent accumulation of volunteer plants.

Snow protection of exposed perennial borders is desirable and in this respect branches of trees can be laid along the border after the first killing frost.

There are nearly one thousand weekly newspapers in Canada, with a combined circulation of about 4,900,000.

Without danger of smothering the plants, these branches provide excellent traps for the falling and drifting snow.

Fall is also a good time to dig up and transplant the perennial border when required. Well-rotted manure dug in at this time will help ensure thrifty growth.

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WORLD OF WHEAT

by W. G. Malaher,

Director, Research Department, Searle Grain Co., Limited

The British periodical "Milling" makes some interesting observations with respect to bread as a food. After stressing the importance of bread in the diet and drawing attention to its universal use as a food, it mentions, in particular, three controversies that have taken place in recent years with respect to its wholesomeness and food value. The first question raised had to do with the relative food values of brown and white bread. This was followed by a dispute over the rival methods of obtaining a nutritive standard in bread—a long extraction flour or enriched white flour. And this controversy again was superseded by one concerning the "wholesomeness" of bread, the bone of contention being the use of chemical improvers and bleachers.

The article goes on to point out that, despite the stands taken with respect to these matters, and the many arguments that have been developed pro or con, little attention has been paid to the question of consumer appeal. In other words nutritionists and medical men have tended to stress what, in their opinion, the consumer needs but they have ignored the equally important question of what he likes. It is possible to raise the nutritive value of any food, but if this is accomplished in a manner which detracts from its attractiveness and appeal the value of the enhanced nutrient content may be lost for the reason that it will not form as large a part of the diet as is desirable.

MINISTER CLEARED IN DEATH OF WIFE

LACOMBE—Rev. Alan Duncan, Minister of Lacombe United Church, was absolved of all blame at an inquest into the death of his 28-year-old wife.

Mrs. Duncan was accidentally shot to death when a .22 calibre rifle discharged while being cleaned by her husband. The gun discharged when the minister bent over to pick up a cloth while holding the rifle in his lap.

Port of Churchill Ends Record Season

WINNIPEG—The shipping season officially ended for the Port of Churchill with the sailing of the SS Pindar, October 6, carrying 373,333 bushels of wheat for Belgium, a record of 36 ships calling at Churchill this year to load grain. Total shipments amounted to 12,515,427 bushels, a new record for the port. Last year, 31 ships cleared with 10,784,445 bushels.

According to CNR, carload shipments of grain to Churchill will continue until the elevator there is filled. At present there is room for about two-million bushels.

The ten provincial governments had net general revenues of \$1,314 million in 1953, about 29 percent of Ottawa's total revenue that year.

Canada's population increased by 291,000 in the first six months of 1954. Immigration in the period amounted to 85,765.

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By T. M. RIDER

HERE'S the studio, Carol. And I've got the passes ready." Tom grinned like a kid at a circus and scrambled from the sedan, but Carol sat patiently until he called back, "Come on, We're late now!"

Then he remembered and flushed. "Damn, I always forget!" And he hurried around to open her door.

"How sweet of you, my dear," Carol gracefully took his arm, but he grasped her, elbow and rushed for the gates, waving the passes under the guard's nose.

It was all very humiliating! He'd received the passes from a Hollywood movie director for whom he'd done a business favor, and he could have acted more sophisticated. She smiled at him a little wistfully. He was tall, broad-shouldered, with wavy black hair and warm brown eyes that sparkled with intelligence. Still he just wasn't the romantic type. A more sensitive man would have responded more gallantly to her cues for attention, she thought.

On the movie set they found the cameras already focused on a brilliantly illuminated hotel scene. When a tall, dark man appeared in the luxurious lobby, a delightful shiver tingled Carol's spine. Oh, why couldn't her Tom stand so masterfully erect instead of being addicted to jamming both hands into his trouser pockets! Just because they'd been married.

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ried one whole year was no reason for him to get into a hum-drum rut, she thought. That was why she'd been delighted and amazed when he'd obtained the studio passes and had suggested the Hollywood trip.

"Let's go see one of those gooey love movies you're always dragging me to," he'd grinned quizzically, "in the making, that is."

Her thoughts were interrupted by the appearance of the lustrous female star on the scene.

"Did I keep you waiting long, Ronald dear?" the beauty asked softly.

"Only an hour, my sweet," Ronald smiled magnetically, disconcertingly, then added huskily, "But I'd wait for you forever, Cynthia!"

Carol sighed deeply. Now why couldn't Tom act like that when she was a little late, instead of hollering his head off?

The two lovers walked on, Ronald strictly seriously, not while Cynthia walked at his side like a graceful wood nymph.

"You're beautiful, my darling," Ronald whispered, shyly taking a yielding Cynthia into his arms. Afterwards, he assisted her into a waiting cab, and as it pulled away he stood seriously erect while Cynthia waved at his side like a graceful wood nymph.

Suddenly a voice blurted, "Okay, cut. And Carol blinked at the lights blazed on overhead. But she kept staring straight in front because she was remembering how Tom had rushed her from his sedan, as though she were a bag of potatoes. She wondered how long it had taken Ronald to acquire his pose and manner. Of course, it took time and effort to become a gentleman; he hadn't been born that way. But Tom, well, even his dreams concerned business.

Suddenly, she stiffened because the cab door had banged open and out stalked the gallant lover. He slammed the door shut. The beautiful girl promptly kicked it open.

"Listen, Romeo," she grunted, frowning out, "when you crawl into this hawk watch those clumsy clod hoppers of yours. I'm tired of getting my shiny kicked black and blue."

He looked her up and down as though she were some peculiar fossil. "Then stop hanging on my arm like a hippopotamus," he snapped waspishly. "I'm no deer."

The lustrous one swept away her lips curling with distaste.

Carol turned to Tom, a little annoyed. Why had he never thought of talking to her like that, although he did believe when he couldn't find a clean shirt that was right under his nose. Now, his jaw was set in grim, angry lines.

"What's wrong, Tom?" she asked puzzled. "Didn't you like the suit?"

"All except that smooty-faced habboog who was so nasty to Cynthia. Now, that was so way far from a man to talk to a sweet kid like her."

Carol swallowed the lump that suddenly choked her throat. Why her husband's data were actually clenched! "Darling it was only play acting," she protested.

"Oh, it wasn't. Not at all, and there!"

His tone was hard, snapping, and she stared at him unbelievably. He seemed ready to fight for that artificial, brittle-minded star who turned emotion off and on like a water faucet. She wanted to laugh but it wasn't funny.

"If you like her that much, why don't forget your handkerchief, room," she suggested lightly. "And don't forget your handkerchief. You might need it to dry her tears."

Say, that's an idea, Carol. I mean, she might photograph my handkerchief. Wow, what a souvenir that'll be to carry around in my breast pocket! Of course, I haven't got a chance with her, but I can dream, can't I?"

There was an expectant glow on his face as he started for the dressing room, and a sudden cold shiver ran through her and froze into an icicle that stabbed her into action.

"No you don't!" she stuttered, reaching his arm in three frantic steps. And when he halted and gave her a big boyish grin, she smiled. "Go ahead and laugh. I know my hair isn't dyed platinum and my lashes aren't an inch long. But who cares for you day in and day out?"

"Okay, Carol," he said. "Let's call it quits. You stop mooning over these movie romances and I'll stick to the little girl who percolates my coffee in the morning."

What you say?"

She grabbed his arm and hurried him through the door on to their sedan. "I feel like percolating some coffee," she said, and sighed contentedly as he gave her a quick grin and kiss; then he headed out whistling "Home, Sweet Home," a bit off key but cheerfully.

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Drive With Care!

CANADA'S DARLING, Marilyn Bell of Toronto, made swimming history when she completed the swim across Lake Ontario recently. The 16-year-old youngster is shown in the above photo reaching out for the breakwater on the Ontario side of Lake Ontario after spending some 21 hours in the water.

Self-feeding of silage seen
saving in cattle production

Self feeding of silage is another step in saving labour in cattle production. Several problems are involved in this procedure, but with the use of horizontal or surface silos, the difficulties appear to be decreased.

The Animal Husbandry and the Field Husbandry Divisions of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, have been giving attention to the problem, and the first experiment with beef cattle was conducted during the winter of 1953-54.

One lot of 20 steers was given access to grass silage in a horizontal silo 15 feet wide. Feeding was done by a movable stanchion-type feeder, gate suspended from the side walls of the silo by a roller bar. The other lot of 20 steers was hand fed similar silage from the other end of the silo.

At first the self fed cattle were allowed to move the feeder gate forward at will, but it was found that they had a tendency to pull down more silage than they would eat during the day. Once the silage was exposed to the air and chilled it became unpalatable and a considerable waste occurred. As a remedy, the feeder gate was fastened so that the cattle could not move it. It was then moved forward every two days so that a depth of seven to eight inches of fresh silage came within reach of the cattle. This provided ample food for the number of cattle involved, and reduced wastage to a minimum.

The silo was open to the weather and this created a problem with snow and frost. This was overcome by suspending jute bags over the openings of the gate, and spreading a tarpaulin above the feeding area.

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Parlayed \$40 into great
Saskatchewan cattle empire

CYPRESS HILLS, Sask.—The triangular hills of southwestern Saskatchewan holds a big cattle empire, parlayed from the remnants of a borrowed \$40 by a lanky Nova Scotian who arrived there before the province had a name.

Rube Glielchriat in 1900 left the eastern seaboard and today his ranch, only a part of the one he once Glielchriat holdings, still rates as one of the biggest enterprises of its kind in the province. His ranch here sprawls over 20,000 acres of hill and valley described as "the finest cattle country in the world."

Rube, son of a Bluenose school-teacher captain, borrowed \$40 and on the advice of a friend deserted Halifax county for the west.

His first job was on a farm in two years later he arrived in the little community of Maple Creek with 27 cents. The fortune dwindled to a dime, but by 1904 he had enough capital to begin ranching at Battle Creek near old Fort Walsh. His three brothers, Joe, Sandy and Chester, joined him six years later and the foundations for a great family enterprise were laid.

In the years which followed, thousands of cattle bearing the famous brand, Bar-X-Bar, thousands of sheep and hundreds of horses grazed on the brothers' ranches at Battle Creek and Cypress Hills and at Milk River and Pincher Creek in Alberta.

Sold their ranches

Five years ago the Glielchriat holdings were sold and the brothers retired. Chester and Sandy now live in Calgary. Rube and Joe couldn't stay away from the rolling hills and later rebought the Milk River and Cypress Hills ranches.

Rube was stricken 30 years ago by paralysis. Although physicians told him it would prove fatal, he didn't die. Last year he rode a horse again.

His 20-year-old son, Bill, works as ranch boss now.

Huge salmon catch silvery bonanza

VANCOUVER—The total number of salmon caught by United States and Canadian boats in the west coast Adams river run, is placed at 10,000,000.

The silvery bonanza since when a 10-day closure is placed on Fraser river fishing to allow the main body of sockeye to surge up to spawning grounds in Adams river and Adams lake.

More than 1,300 gillnetters, bobbing at anchor in the mouth of the Fraser, pulled in 138,000 fish, one night and it was expected to hit 300,000 the next night.

Lloyd Royal, director of the International Pacific Salmon Fisheries Commission, said the Canadian catch totals 4,500,000 fish, with the U.S. total standing at 4,757,000.

The Canadian total would equal the U.S. in 1954.

The 10,000,000-fish catch, represents 1,000,000 cases of canned salmon valued at \$22 a case wholesale.

"That potential \$22,000,000 haul isn't peanuts in anybody's business," Mr. Royal said. "The entire salmon fishing industry is naturally elated. All we have to do now is sell it."

The Adams river run is shared equally between Canadian and U.S. boats under an agreement drawn up after the two countries jointly financed expensive fish ladders in the Fraser river to enable the fish to reach their spawning grounds.

Approximately 20 percent of the weight of a fish is lost in dressing.

Magic RAISIN SCONES

Mix and sift into bowl, 1½ c. once-sifted pastry flour (or 1½ c. once-sifted all-purpose flour), 3 eggs, Magic Baking Powder, ½ tsp. salt. Cut in finely 4 lbs. chilled shortening and mix in ¼ c. washed and dried raisins and ¼ c. lightly-packed brown sugar. Combine 1 slightly-beaten egg, 2 lbs. milk and a few drops almond flavoring. Make a well in dry ingredients and add liquids; mix lightly with fork, adding milk if necessary, to make a soft dough. Knead for 10 seconds on a lightly-floured board and pat out into greased pie plate (7½" top inside measure) and mark into 6 pie-shaped wedges. Bake in hot oven, 425°, about 18 minutes. Serve hot with butter or margarine. Yield—6 scones.

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W. A. NOTES

The first Bazaar of the season will be put on by the Joint W.A. Groups and is likely to be held the last Saturday of October, the 30th.

The regular October meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Reeds.

Everybody welcome.

WHEAT POOL BUDGET

The town of Whitecourt, lying northwest of Edmonton, had the highest precipitation of any point in Alberta this year, with moisture totalling 25.43 inches between April 1 and September 26. Almost all other points also reported above average precipitation this year, the only exception being Wagner in the Peace River area where precipitation

Local News

There has been much better harvest weather this past week and all and sundry have done their best to "give every flying minute something to keep in store." The work seems to be going ahead at a great pace and everyone feels more hopeful.

Mr. and Mrs. Busch of Mission City, Ill., arrived at Irma about two weeks and are staying at the Gratton View Hotel. They have brought a trailer all fitted up to house the seven upland game dogs they are training here. These dogs are setters and pointers with fabulous pedigrees and reputations. One of them is valued at \$4000.00 dollars. Mr. and Mrs. Busch expect to spend another week here with their dogs.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hurst and Iris have taken up residence in the living quarters they have built at the Irma Machine Works.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Reber have purchased the Haakon Larson house and also the G. Hurst home. They took up residence in the latter building on Monday last so are no longer residents of the Strawberry Plains district. We would like to thank Mrs. Reber for her work as former "Southern Sayings" scribe. Mrs. J. Jackson of "the plains" has kindly promised to keep that column filled for us beginning this week. Thank you, Mrs. Jackson.

The Irma W.I. will hold its annual Bazaar on Saturday, November 20, in the United Church basement.

The annual Tag Day for the Blind will be held at Irma Oct. 23. Members of the W.I. will be canvassing on that day. All proceeds of this Tag Day go to the Canadian Institute for the Blind. The W.I. does not benefit from this in any way.

There will be a Community Shower in the Legion Hall on Saturday night, October 16 for Mr. and Mrs. G. Pendleton and family. This is to be a shower of household articles and the menfolk as well as the ladies are asked to attend. Ladies please bring lunch.

There will be a Benefit dance for the Pendleton family in Kiefer's Hall on Monday, October 25. Free lunch.

Mr. R. Larson went to Edmonton last week to attend the wedding of her nephew David Elliott.

George Reed was a Thanksgiving visitor at Irma.

Miss Isobel Craig of Edmonton spent the holiday week-end with her parents here.

Mrs. G. M. Holt of Wainwright visited last week-end with her sister Mrs. Coffin. Patsy Coffin who had been with her aunt at Wainwright for the past six weeks returned to her home here.

Edmonton visitors last week were Mrs. O. Nissen and Mrs. M. Chase.

Miss Jean Larson of Wainwright was a Thanksgiving visitor at her home here.

Vallaine Lang of Edmonton was also an Irma visitor.

The LOBA Halloween dance will be held in Kiefer's Hall on Wednesday, November 3. Music by Horinek's orchestra.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Black this past week-end were Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Tipping, Shirley and Gary and Mr. Becum, all of Edmonton.

Promotion and Rally Day service at the Irma United Church on Sunday last saw a Sunday School attendance of 94. New teachers added to the staff this year are Mrs. E. Tomlinson, Mrs. C. Smallwood, Marilyn Hill and Mr. Ronaghan.

Shirley Enger, Shirley Mae Brown and Charlotte Ann Milne were among those of our young folk who spent Thanksgiving week-end at Irma.

Home from the University of Alberta for Thanksgiving were Billy and Lillian Masson, Arnold Enger, Don Fischer and Gordon Inglis. We understand that Billy was the chauffeur who drove these young folk to Irma and return to Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clumstad and family were recent visitors to Edmonton.

Mrs. Taylor has returned to her home here after visiting with relatives in the east.

Miss Marjorie Hemphill of Viking was a visitor here at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ronaghan.

Public Meeting

will be held in the
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S. Haiso Re-elected Pres. Hockey Club

(From The Viking News)

LEO KELLY TAKES REINS AS NEW MANAGER

There was a fair turnout to the public hockey meeting held Tuesday evening. Selmer Haiso, president, gave a summary of the activities of the hockey club for the 1953-54 season which resulted in the club being several hundred dollars in the red at the end of the season, due chiefly to the high cost of operations. It was decided to carry on for the coming season and stay in the Eastern Alberta hockey league, at least no change is anticipated until after a meeting of the league executives. Election of officers resulted as follows:

Selmer Haiso, president, re-elected.
H. G. Thunell, vice president, re-elected.
Jack McPherson, 2nd vice president.

John Gavinchuk, secretary-treasurer, re-elected.
Leo Kelly, manager.

Bill Stalker, assistant manager.

League representatives, Lloyd McIntyre and Johnny Haiso.

There are fairly good prospects at present to ice a good team and from now on the executive will be on the look out for hockey material. It was stressed that hockey from the midget and junior ranks should be promoted as well as senior hockey.

The hockey club and the Viking League are sponsoring the Webb Pierce Show here on October 26 at which time it is hoped that enough funds will be raised to clear the indebtedness of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hlynika and daughter Olga of Leduc were Irma visitors last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Matwiechuk and other friends. Olga is now attending the University of Alberta and is taking a course in Education.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Drewicki of Edmonton spent Thanksgiving in Irma at the home of their son Frank.

Mrs. N. Babb—the former Iris Brown—and her son Wynne of Philadelphia is visiting here with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Brown.

Mr. C. Coffin is in the General Hospital, Edmonton, with pneumonia.

Mrs. R. B. Kirkman and Betty Rae are Edmonton visitors this week. Kirkman is going on to Banff where she will be a delegate to Home and School Work Shop.

Mrs. F. H. Hockett and daughters were Irma visitors on Tuesday of this week.

Rev. H. W. Inglis attended the funeral in Lacombe last week of Mrs. Duncan's wife, a former minister at Holden.

The October meeting of St. Mary's W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. Albert Pirkus on Thursday, October 21 at 2:30 p.m. Should the weather or roads be bad, the meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. G. Coylman in town at the same time.

Jarrow News

Mrs. Miller and boys spent the holiday week-end with the home folks at Hay Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Young and family visited with relatives and friends at Marwayne during the long week-end.

Stan and Andrew Oraschki gave a helping hand with the threshing during the holiday.

Jim Sonoff stopped in for a few minutes chat at the C. Sonoff home on Saturday. He was on his way for a bit of hunting.

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